Summer School

Social Movements in Global Perspectives:

Past - Present - Future



Week 1: 1-5 September 2014

Ruhr-University Bochum

Beckmanns Hof:

Conference Room Shanghai

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Monday, 1 September 2014

PANEL 1: GLOBALISATION OF ECONOMY, GLOBAL WORK PROCESSES AND SOCIAL MOVEMENTS

Supervising Students: Linus Stieldorf and Vincent K.

- 09:30 Opening and Introduction
- 10:00 Internationalisation of Companies and Possibilities of Cross-Border Employee Representation
 Ludger Pries (Keynote)
 Ruhr-University Bochum
- 11:15 Coffee/Tea
- 11:45 Pecha Kucha
- 12:30 Lunch
- 13:30 Conditions for and Obstacles to Trade Union
 Cooperation in Europe
 Bengt Larsson
 University of Gothenburg
- 14:30 Building Union Power through Transnational
 Campaigns
 Sarah Bormann
 Free University of Berlin
- 15:30 Coffee/Tea
- 16:00 Understanding Tactical Dilemmas in Context:
 A Comparison of Direct Action against
 Genetically Modified Crops in Belgium,
 France and the UK
 Graeme Hayes
 Aston University
- 17:00 Wrap-Up Session



Tuesday, 2 September 2014

PANEL 2: LABOUR PARTIES AND DISTRIBUTION OF SOCIAL WEALTH

- 09:30 The Labour Parties' Transformation:
 A Historical and Comparative Approach
 Gerassimos Moschonas (Keynote)
 Panteion University, Athens
- 10:45 Coffee/Tea
- 11:15 World Café
- 12:30 Lunch
- 13:30 Social-Democratic Labour Movements
 Stefan Berger
 Ruhr-University Bochum
- 14:30 Revolutionary Labour Movements
 Kevin Morgan
 University of Manchester
- 15:30 Coffee/Tea
- 16:00 Protestantism and Trade Union Movement in the 20th Century
 Traugott Jähnichen
 Ruhr-University Bochum
- 17:00 Wrap-Up Session



Wednesday, 3 September 2014

PANEL 3: SOCIAL CONFLICTS OVER THE RIGHT TO LAND

Supervising Students: Corinna Land, Robin Drenk and Christian Tischmeyer

09:30 Understanding Resistance and Social
Movements in Mining
Kuntala Lahiri-Dutt (Keynote)
Australian National University, Canberra

10:45 Coffee/Tea

11:15 Pro-Contra Debate

12:30 Lunch

13:30 Land Tenure, Labour and Politics in Southern Europe during the Long Nineteenth Century Carl Levy Goldsmiths, University of London

14:30 Emancipation from Slavery and Serfdom, and Land Rights: The Americas and Eastern Europe Compared Enrico Dal Lago
National University of Ireland, Galway

15:30 Coffee/Tea

16:00 Environmental Activism and Green Grabbing
Liviu Mantescu
Humboldt University Berlin

17:00 Wrap-Up Session

Thursday, 4 September 2014

PANEL 4: SOCIAL MOVEMENTS, CAPITALISM AND MARKETS

Supervising Student: Alicia Gorny

09:30 A Political Economic Perspective on Social Sabrina Zajak (Keynote) Ruhr-University Bochum

10:45 Coffee/Tea

11:15 Fishbowl

12:30 Lunch

13:30 How Activist Groups Try to Impact Firms on Issues of Corporate Social Responsibility
Frank de Bakker
VU University Amsterdam

14:30 Global Supply Chain Bargaining and Campaigning
Anannya Bhattacharjee
AFW International Secretariat, India

15:30 Coffee/Tea

16:00 The International Union Movement in the Globalized and Informatized Cage of Capitalism and Bureaucracy
Peter Waterman
Dublin/Lima

17:00 Wrap-Up Session





Friday, 5 September 2014

PANEL 5: WOMEN'S MOVEMENTS/ 1968 AND SOCIAL MOVEMENTS

Supervising Students: Jil Behlau and Nora Stein

09:30 Women's Movements in Global Perspectives
Ilse Lenz (Keynote)
Ruhr-University Bochum

10:45 Coffee/Tea

11:15 Women's Movements in sub-Saharan Africa Kathleen Fallon Stony Brook University, New York

12:15 Lunch

13:15 World Café

14:30 Serve the Workers! How Italian and German Students Developed into Political Militants Devoted to Workers Struggles after 1968 Marica Tolomelli (Keynote) University of Bologna

15:30 Coffee/Tea

16:00 1968 in Bochum: The Ruhr-University as a Part of a Global Social Movement?
Ulf Teichmann
Ruhr-University Bochum

17:00 Wrap-Up Session

Project Management

Stefan Berger & Sabrina Zajak Ruhr-University Bochum Institute for Social Movements

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Week 2: 8-12 September 2014

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Monday, 8 September 2014

PANEL 6: PEACE MOVEMENTS

Supervising Students: Rebecca Schwegel and Jonas Molitor

09:30 Peace Movements as Social Movements:
Some Conceptual Thoughts
Holger Nehring (Keynote)
University of Stirling

10:45 Coffee/Tea

11:15 World Café

12:30 Lunch

13:30 The Global Gandhi Sean Scalmer University of Melbourne

14:30 Transnational Diffusion of Protest Methods:
Civil Disobedience and the West German Peace
Movement
Jared Donnelly
Texas A&M University

15:30 Coffee/Tea

16:00 Caught between Nuclear Freeze and Hot
Autumn: The Complicated Relationship of
the German and American Peace Movements,
1979-1983
Stephen Milder
Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey

17:00 Wrap-Up Session

Tuesday, 9 September 2014

PANEL 7: ENVIRONMENTAL MOVEMENTS

Supervising Students: Jannis Gustke, Benjamin Herrmann and Julien Lebourg

09:30 Befriending Leviathan: Environmentalism and the Decline of the Nation-State Frank Uekötter (Keynote)
University of Birmingham

10:45 Coffee/Tea

11:15 Fishbowl

12:30 Lunch

13:30 Thinking Locally, Acting Globally: Global Environmentalism in the Age of Asymmetry Thomas Lekan University of South Carolina

14:30 Environmental Advocacy in the International Climate Change Negotiations
Carola Betzold
University of Gothenburg

15:30 Coffee/Tea

16:00 Survival Strategies of the Climate Movement
Matthias Dietz
University of Bremen

17:00 Wrap-Up Session





Wednesday, 10 September 2014

PANEL 8: DEMOCRACY MOVEMENTS AND HUMAN RIGHTS MOVEMENTS

Supervising Student: Angela Palmieri

09:30 Anti-Apartheid and the Emergence of a Global Civil Society Håkan Thörn (Keynote) University of Gothenburg

10:45 Coffee/Tea

11:15 Pro-Contra Debate

12:30 Lunch

13:30 Human Rights in Global Politics
Jan Eckel
University of Freiburg

14:30 Workers' Rights and Human Rights in an Authoritarian State: Changing State and Society Relations in China Chris King-Chi Chan City University of Hong Kong

15:30 Coffee/Tea

16:00 The 'Arab Spring' in Global Perspective:
Social Movements, Changing Contexts and
Political Transition in the Arab World
Nora Lafi
Zentrum Moderner Orient Berlin/
Free University of Berlin

17:00 Wrap-Up Session



Thursday, 11 September 2014

PANEL 9: ANTI-AUSTERITY PROTESTS

Supervising Student: Vanessa Nikolas

09:30 The Euro Crisis: New Socio-Political Divisions,
Mobility and Mobilization
Hans-Jörg Trenz (Keynote)
University of Copenhagen

10:45 Pecha Kucha

11:15 Coffee/Tea

11:30 Transnational Trade Union Protests since the Euro Crisis: Chances and Obstacles
Julia Hofmann
Johannes Kepler University Linz

12:30 Lunch

13:30 Workers' Mobilization in Greece: Protest and Social Movements in the Context of Austerity Politics

Markos Vogiatzoglou
European University Institute, Florence

14:30 Crisis Protests in the Eurozone: Insights from Discursive Actor Attribution Analysis
Moritz Sommer and Franziska Scholl
Free University of Berlin

15:30 Coffee/Tea

16:00 Participatory Action Research: Crisis Protest Forms in Spain, Germany and Greece Alissa Starodub Ruhr-University Bochum

17:00 Wrap-Up Session

19:30 Die Protestmacher ("The Protest-Makers")
Documentary Film (German with English
Subtitles) and Discussion with Filmmaker
Dieter Rucht (Berlin Social Science Center)
Venue: House for the History of the Ruhr

Friday, 12 September 2014

PANEL 10: WITNESS SEMINAR: SOCIAL MOVEMENTS IN ACTION

09:30 Social Movements in Action: Without Structures and Strategies?
Dieter Rucht
Berlin Social Science Center

10:30 Coffee/Tea

11:00 Round-Table Discussion

Yusuf Doğan Çetinkaya
Müşterekler/Başlangıç
Emma Ghariani
Pour une Tunisie des libertés
Victor Strazzeri
Partido Socialismo e Liberdade/Comitê pela desmilitarização da polícia
Bettina Musiolek and Bilge Seçkin Çetinkaya
Clean Clothes Campaign
Wolfgang Schaumberg
Forum Arbeitswelten e.V.
Martin Budich
Bo-Alternativ

13:00 Lunch

14:00 Students' Presentations

15:30 Coffee/Tea

16:00 Global-Local-Glocal? What Strategies Work
Best for Social Movements?
Final Podium Discussion with Representatives
of Social Movements
Moderation: Sabrina Zaiak

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